



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 59, S. 2020

**AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 32, SERIES OF 2020
TO INCLUDE BUSINESSES IN THE HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM
INDUSTRY, AND TO URGE BUSINESS OWNERS AND BUS COMPANY
OPERATORS TO PRACTICE ADDITIONAL PREVENTIVE MEASURES
FOR COVID-19**

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization has declared the name of the Novel Coronavirus as COVID-19;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 32, Series of 2020, was issued as a directive to business establishments and service providers in the transport sector to implement preventive measures against the disease now called COVID-19;

WHEREAS, considering the declaration of a State of Public Health Emergency Throughout the Philippines by President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, through Proclamation No. 922, there is a need to mention with particularity those establishments in the hospitality and tourism industry as the exigency of their business entails having close contact among persons;

NOW THEREFORE, I, BENJAMIN B. MAGALONG, Mayor of Baguio City, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

**SECTION 1. AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 32, SERIES OF 2020
TO READ AS FOLLOWS:**

All business establishments, especially those in the hospitality and tourism industry such as hotels, lodgings, food and beverage, and recreation, and service providers in the public transport sector, are ordered to observe proper hand and respiratory hygiene pursuant to the advice and recommendations of the Department of Health, to reduce exposure and transmission of COVID-19. They are further directed to ensure that all contact surfaces such as door knobs, handrails, tables, chairs, and those similar areas are sufficiently disinfected and sanitized, and that general surroundings are clean at all times. Food servers and handlers, and those employees in the receiving line of these businesses are, further encouraged to wear face masks. Business establishments, offices, and public utility vehicles must also display information posters and fliers regarding COVID-19 prevention, as provided by the DOH and City Health Service Office, on all entry and exit points;

SECTION 2. URGING BUSINESS OWNERS IN THE HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM INDUSTRIES AND OPERATORS OF BUS COMPANIES TO IMPLEMENT STRICTER COVID-19 PREVENTIVE MEASURES IN THEIR ESTABLISHMENTS. Business owners in the hospitality and tourism industries, as well as operators of bus companies in the city, are strongly urged to